



## TO KILL JUSTICE.

### Gigantic Conspiracy of Hankins and His Pals.

### Already Around Boasting of Their Influence on the Bench.

### They Declare that They Will Not Be Tried Until They Are Ready,

### Saying that They Have Headed Off Further Trouble,

### And that the Law Will Be Put to Sleep.

### Hankins Offers to Bet that He Will Never Be Imprisoned,

### Declaring that He Will Get Off as Easily as McGarigle Did.

### Good People Should Awaken in Time

### To Prevent Justice Being Made a Mockery Of.

### Enough Farcial Prosecutions in Cook County Already.

### Citizens Object to Having It Rubbed Into Them.

### And Will Demand an Immediate Trial for Geo. Hankins.

### His Place Is in Jail, and Jury Bribing Won't Save Him.

If Mr. George Hankins and Mr. John Condon imagine for one moment that the war inaugurated upon them by THE EAGLE in October last ended with their indictment and the temporary closing up of their gambling houses, they are badly mistaken. THE EAGLE has a duty to the public to perform and it will perform it, never fear. It has shown by its never-ending attacks upon public gambling whether it meant business or not. When THE EAGLE predicted the indictment of Hankins, people laughed and Hankins laughed louder than anybody. For months THE EAGLE continued its warfare without any aid outside of its own treasury and none from the daily press. Public sentiment, however, was aroused by its appeals, and thousands upon thousands of people added their

names to THE EAGLE's subscription lists, to testify their devotion to its fearless and public-spirited policy. In the latter part of the fight some of the daily papers woke up and did good service, and THE EAGLE is glad that they did. But from the start it has never flinched, and in every issue has attacked the common enemy. Believing that it possesses public confidence, THE EAGLE will not abuse it. It is not abusing public confidence when it declares that a gigantic conspiracy exists against justice.

Hankins now declares coolly that he will not be punished.

His friends declare that the Criminal Court is all right!

What do they mean?

Are travesties on justice to follow each other in the Criminal Court of Cook County in rapid succession?

We shall see.

Last Friday afternoon a conference was held in the Monroe street office of a man whose friendship has cost many men their liberty. Hankins was present, and so were several of his pals. They were there for consolation, of course, and they received lots of it.

A plan of action was also determined upon. What that plan of action is THE EAGLE knows, and will shortly publish it in all its glory.

Suffice it to say that Hankins declares he will never feel the penalty of the law.

He points to the McGarigle case, where a man who was sentenced to the penitentiary was let off with a fine.

But the idea of Hankins comparing himself to McGarigle!

McGarigle was accused of a political misdemeanor.

Hankins is accused of a felony.

McGarigle never broke up a family in his life. On the contrary, he was always generous to a fault, and all too confiding.

There is no comparison between them.

Hankins has ruined more men than any man in Illinois.

Hankins has broken up more families than any man in Illinois.

Hankins has gotten the earnings of more poor workmen than any gambler that ever lived.

Hankins has defied justice.

Hankins has broken the law.

Hankins has been twice convicted.

He is now under indictment.

The only thing Hankins and McGarigle have had in common was a common adviser in different matters.

Hankins laughs loudly and declares that he will be let off with a fine. His friends say that Hankins will be tried when Hankins is ready and not before.

Well, well!

Perhaps the people will stand everything. Perhaps they like bribed juries, partial Judges and the spectacle of Johnnie Graham's disappearing when wanted for trial. Perhaps they want to see the law juggled for George Hankins' benefit, and perhaps they don't.

But here is the law which Hankins is under indictment for having flagrantly violated:

SEC. 127. Whoever keeps a common gaming house, or in any building, booth, yard, garden, boat, or float, by him or his agent used and occupied, procures or permits any persons to frequent, or to come together to play for money or other valuable thing, at any game, or keeps or suffers to be kept any tables or other apparatus for the purpose of playing at any game or sport for money or other valuable thing, or knowingly rents any such place for such purposes, shall, upon conviction, for the first offense be fined not less than \$100, and for the second offense be fined not less than \$500, and be confined in the County Jail not less than six months, and for the third offense shall be fined not less than \$500, and be imprisoned in the penitentiary not less than two years nor more than five years.

Having been twice convicted, Han-



HANKINS' IDEA OF JUSTICE.

kins is now sure of the penitentiary. Hankins says that he isn't; that he will be tried only when he feels like being tried; and it will be interesting to see just how far he controls the Judges, law officers and juries of Cook County.

THE EAGLE will keep the people posted on the matter as it goes along.

NICE REPUBLICAN BOSS.

Hankins' Lawyer the Political Leader of Third Ward Republicans.

Who do you suppose is the political leader, head boss, whip-end marshal and general director of the aristocratic Third Ward Republicans?

Perry Hull!

And who is Perry Hull?

Read the answer in the slums.

Read the answer in the gambling-houses.

Read the answer in ex-Lieutenant of Police Madison Beadell's diary.

It will make rich reading.

THE EAGLE has a bushel basket full of information upon this subject, and its efficient espionage corps has received orders to furnish more before the campaign opens. It will all be published when space permits.

Is there anything else remarkable about Perry Hull, political boss of the Third Ward?

Why, yes.

He is George Hankins' attorney.

In this connection THE EAGLE has some specimens of his work which it will submit to the public in due time. Some of them will make mighty rich reading.

But in the meantime it is sufficient to suggest that the Third Ward has Hankins' lawyer for a political boss.

Perhaps he intends running Hankins for Alderman out there one of these days.

Mr. Perry Hull has promised the Third Ward delegation to Mr. James H. Gilbert for Sheriff.

Mr. Perry Hull has promised Mr. Louis Hunt the Third Ward delegation for County Treasurer.

How can he drop one and please both?

Perhaps his friend Hankins will turn his roulette wheel to decide the question for him.

WHAT JUDGE IS IT?

The Blacklegs Say That One of the Judges Is Friendly to Them.

Some of the blacklegs are boasting that one of the Judges now on the bench of the Criminal Court is friendly to them, and will so fix matters as to let them off with a fine, in violation of law.

Can this be true?

If so, which Judge is it?

It cannot be Judge Horton, for that able jurist is no friend of blacklegs or law-breakers.

It cannot be Judge Waterman, for he has declared himself many times for law and order.

Can it be Judge Clifford?

A thousand times no.

Judge Clifford was elected by a citizens' ticket, in direct opposition to gang rule in politics.

Then who is the Judge that the blacklegs are betting on?

THE STATE'S ATTORNEY.

Notwithstanding All Reports to the Contrary, Judge Longenecker Will Do His Full Duty, as He Always Does—No Compromise with Gamblers.

The Hankins crowd have been making loud boasts that the State's Attorney was very friendly to them, and that the prosecution, if any, against Hankins will be only half-hearted.

This is untrue.

Judge Longenecker is an honorable and upright man, who respects his oath of office and dignifies his position.

He will go into this fight to see that Hankins is sent to Joliet, where he belongs.

Judge Longenecker is too shrewd a man, outside of his native honesty, to sacrifice the reputation of a life-time to please a few gamblers.

The people want to see Hankins in stripes, and THE EAGLE will watch the people's interests.

Mr. Hankins' next stopping place is JOLIET.

NUMBER 85.

The Only House Now Running in Chicago Is at That Location on Clark Street—The Mayor Does Not Hother It—Why?

The owner of the property located at No. 85 Clark street managed the last Democratic Mayoralty campaign. It would be ungrateful in the administration to close up the game there.

Therefore it is not closed up.

What is the matter with a special Grand Jury?

The public are thoroughly aroused on this question, and owners of property rented for gambling purposes need indicting very badly.

TO QUESTION THE INDICTMENT.

Hankins' Lawyers Will Make a Great Attempt to Have the Indictment Quashed—Alleging Flaws in the Instrument.

The attorneys for George Hankins are said by those in their confidence to be preparing to make an assault upon the validity of the indictment against their client.

With their usual freshness, some of the Hankins coterie are declaring that they know that the instrument is weak.

Perhaps after the preliminary contest is over, they will have a different opinion of its strength.

RIDICULOUSLY LOW BAIL.

A Man Indicted for Stealing a Loaf of Bread Would Be Placed Under Heavier Bonds than Is Hankins.

People are wondering at the smallness of Hankins' bail. It is so small as to seem simply ridiculous.

Perhaps this is part of the "scheme" that the blacklegs claim they are going to have such a sure thing on.

THE EAGLE advises business men to keep their eyes on this case.

They may learn something, even if

it does not increase their respect for the law.

LOOK HERE, HANKINS!

See What Your Chief Adviser Has Done for Some Other Men with His Great Cunning.

The great marching club leader and "L" road builder who is chief adviser to Mr. Hankins was chief adviser to the following gentlemen in times gone by:

W. J. McGarigle, Edward McDonald, And the indicted County Commissioners.

And they all got into trouble on account of too much good advice.

Hankins' goose is cooked. He is hoodooed with advice.

THOUGHT THEY'D MISS HIM.

The Indicted Gamblers Waited for Absent Johnnie. But Hankins Is Happy Now.

"At first Hankins and the rest of the boys thought they would miss Johnnie Graham in the coming trials," said an old sport Wednesday, "but Hankins feels as gay as a peach. He says that he will beat the law, sure, and he seems to be pretty confident of doing it, too. I don't know what he bases his confidence on, but he is a pretty smooth man, you know."

CONDON IS UNHAPPY.

He Has Grown Very Superstitious Since His Indictment.

Now that he is under indictment Black Jack Condon is trying to change his luck.

He takes his golden shuving mug with him when he retires and sleeps with his head to the foot of the bed.

There is a growing impression that Charles B. Farwell cannot unite the Republican party in the Senatorial fight. His inactivity, to put it mildly, in the last spring campaign lost him thousands of votes in Chicago which he can never regain. Throughout the State, Republicans are dissatisfied with his attitude toward the President, and dissatisfied with the treatment received by them at his hands. The Democrats, on the other hand, present a united front, and will go into the State convention with a fixed determination to establish a precedent. They will formally nominate Gen. John M. Palmer for United States Senator, and instruct all Democratic legislators to vote for him in the session of '91. The enthusiasm engendered by this act will have to be overcome if the Republicans are to win. Thinking men in the Republican party appreciate this fact, and are already whistling "What shall the harvest be?"

THE CONGRESSIONAL FIGHTS.

The Situation in the Four Chicago Districts.

The situation in each of the Chicago Congressional districts is mixed—very much so, indeed. In the First District Mr. Taylor is a candidate for re-election, and Irus Coy, ex-Congressman Dunham and Stanley Waterloo are being backed against him. The Waterloo boom, by the way, is much stronger than many people expected. In the Second District Lawler will not be renominated, and the belief is general that he will run independent. The Democrats are talking of Joseph P. Mahoney, James C. McShane, Francis P. Murphy, William H. Joyce, James T. Healy and Lawrence E. McGann.

The strongest Republican mentioned is John M. Carroll, the dry-goods merchant. In the Third District the renomination and re-election of Congressman Mason seems to be reassured on the surface. But that there is a large amount of dissatisfaction among Republicans in the district no one can deny. Whether this will be allayed or not remains to be seen. Hon. Carter H. Harrison will be the Democratic nominee—if he wants to be. In the Fourth District Hempstead Washburne will lay out Congressman Adams for the Republican nomination, and Jonathan B. Taylor will be put up by the Democrats.

MEAT FOR REPUBLICANS.

A List of Fat Federal Jobs to Be Given Out by Clark and Mamer.

Collector of Customs Clark can appoint the following officials: Five Deputy Collectors, who receive from \$1,000 to \$5,000 per annum, one auditor, one cashier at \$5,000, an assistant

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